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This is in response to the Restriction Requirement stated in the Office Letter dated June 25, 2003.

The examiner requires that claims of either Group I or Group II be elected for prosecution. Applicant elects to prosecute Group 1 (claims 1 to 9). This election is made without traverse.

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